Atmospheric Processing Platform

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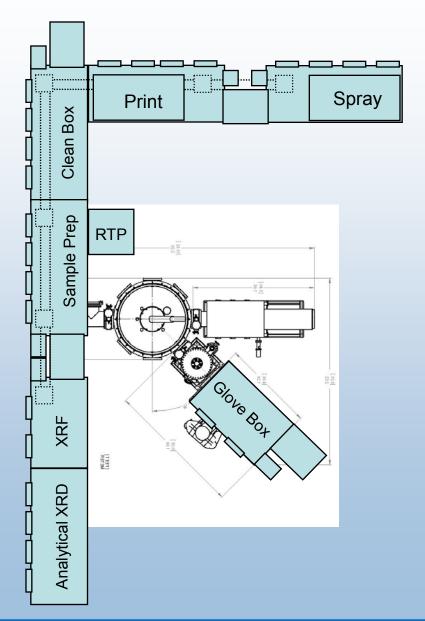
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Atmospheric Processing Platform



6"x6" substrates

Inkjet deposition

Spray deposition

Sputter deposition

Evaporation

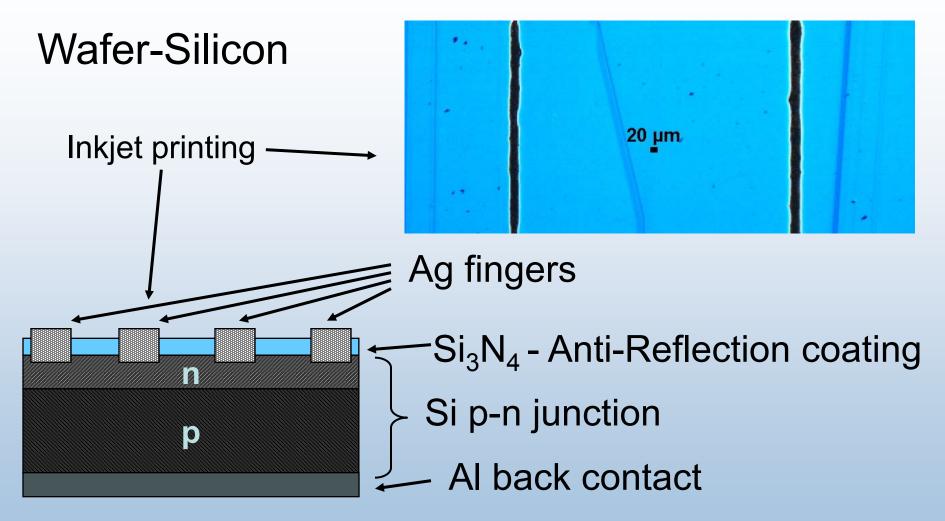
Rapid thermal processing

XRD analysis

XRF analysis



Atmospheric processing in PV



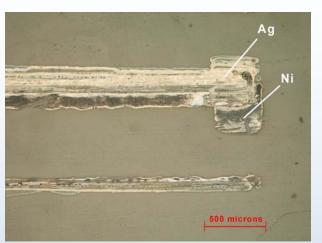
Also: Printing of dopants to form junction

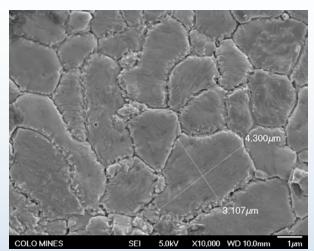


Atmospheric processing in PV

CIGS

Inkjet printing

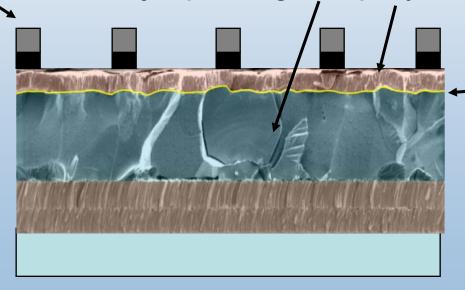




Inkjet printing or Spray Deposition

Ni/Ag contact grid
ZnO (TCO) / CdS
CIGS absorber layer
Mo back contact

Glass substrate

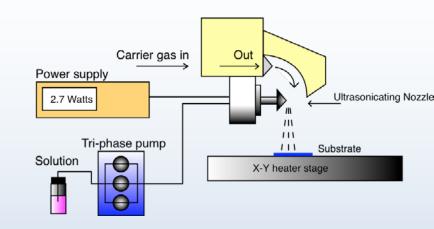


CBD

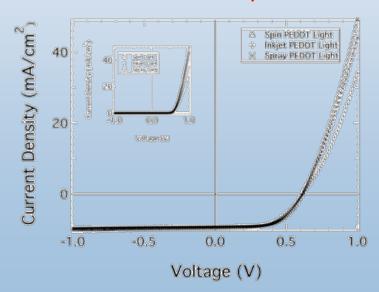
Atmospheric processing in PV

OPV

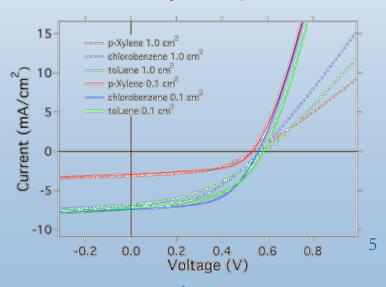
- Inkjet and ultrasonic spray produce devices comparable to spin coated for both the HIL and the absorber.
- Devices scale up in air to 1 cm² with efficiency greater than >2%
 - Setting up deposition system in glove box for increased device performance



PEDOT:PSS Deposition



Active Layer Deposition



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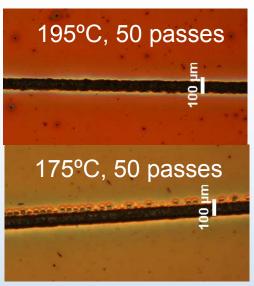
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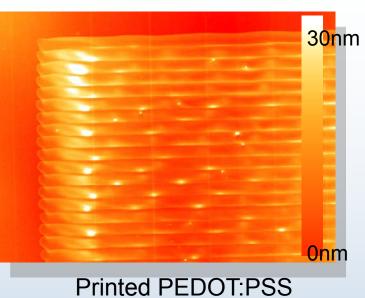
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Sprayed or printed:

- hole blocking layer
- absorber

Printed contacts

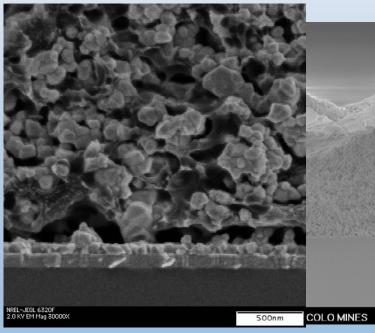




CdTe

Sprayed Absorber CBD CdS
Sprayed Contacts

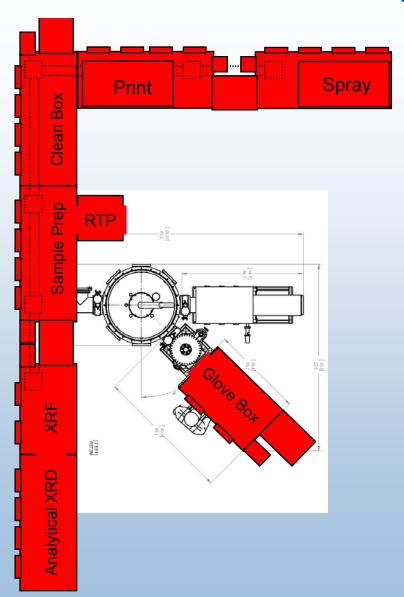
And more...





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Glovebox system



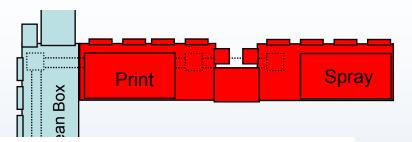


Custom Gloveboxes by Mbraun

Linear motion system for sample transport between boxes



Inkjet and Spray





Custom inkjet and spray system by iTi

Build into glovebox

Universal X-Y platform

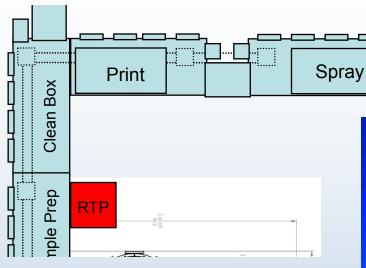
Multihead inkjet system

Multihead spray system

Systems interchangeable



Rapid Thermal Processing



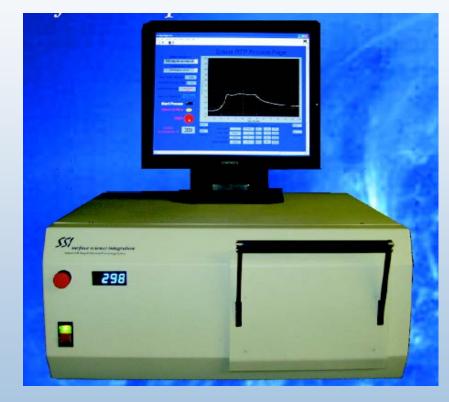
RTP by Surface Science Integration

Build into glovebox

Up to 1250°C @ 150°C/s

3 process gasses





XRD and **XRF**

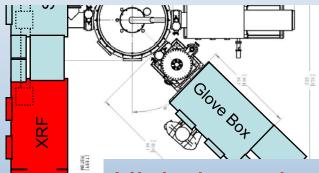
Compositional Analysis

XRF by Matrix Metrologies



Structural Analysis

XRD by Bruker



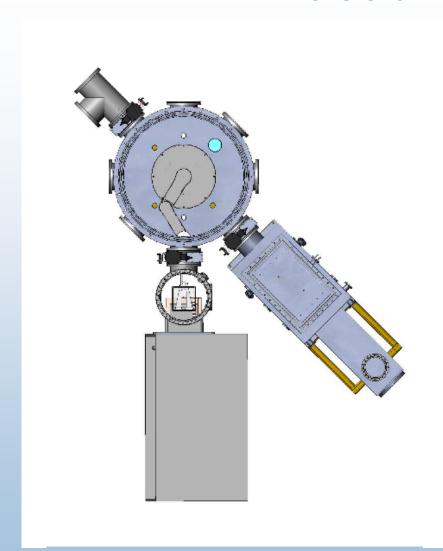
High throughput analysis



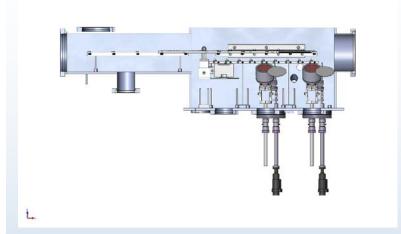




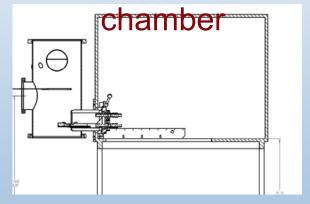
Vacuum Cluster



Cluster and chambers by MVSystems



Multi source sputter



Multi source evaporator with glovebox access for air sensitive materials

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Atmospheric Processing Platform

- All major component have been ordered
- Estimated delivery major components: September-November
- Partial operation: Glovebox system: November
 - RTP: November
 - Inkjet + Spray: December
 - XRD + XRF: December
 - Sputter + Evaporator: January 2009
- Full integrated operation: February 2009
- Interest from industry:
 - All current CRADA partners
 - Many others in all areas



M&C PDIL Capabilities



Pete Sheldon

| | PV Technology Road Maps | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------------------|---------|-----|------|------|-----|------|
| | Wafer Si | Film Si | CPV | CdTe | CIGS | OPV | DSPV |
| Platform | W | Fil | S | ပိ | ਹ | O. | 08 |
| Thin Si | | | | | | | |
| Wafer Rep. | | | | | | | |
| CIGS | | | | | | | |
| CdTe | | | | | | | |
| Atm. Proc. | | | | | | | |
| M&C Ind. | | | | | | | |
| M&C Cluster | | | | | | | |